



DOE's Commercial Building Proposals for the 2004/2005 Code Change Cycle

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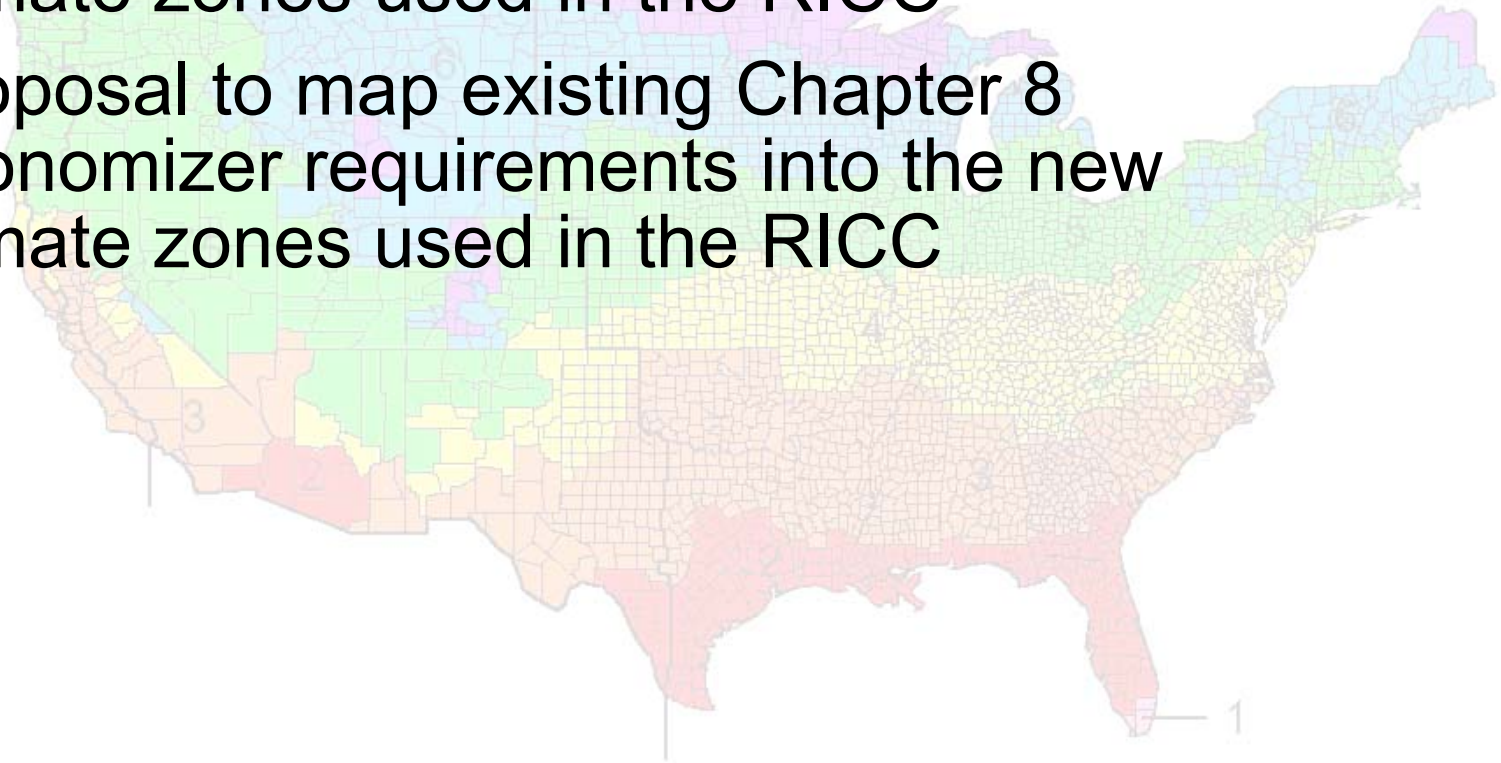
DOE's Commercial Strategy

- Submit proposals that complement the DOE's Residential IECC Code Change (RICC)
- Submit proposals that continue to harmonize Chapter 7 (ASHRAE Standard 90.1-2001) and Chapter 8 of the IECC



Complementing the RICC

- Proposal to map existing Chapter 8 envelope requirements into the new climate zones used in the RICC
- Proposal to map existing Chapter 8 economizer requirements into the new climate zones used in the RICC





Harmonizing Chapters 7 and 8

- Combine Chapter 7 and Chapter 8 by making the ASHRAE Standard the reference standard for Chapter 8
- Adding requirements for pools from Chapter 7 to Chapter 8



More Information

- <http://www.energycodes.gov/>
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